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Oh, Zion ! that bringest good tidings, get thee up into the high mountain. O, Jerusalem, that bringest good tidings, lift up thy voice with strength! Lift it up, and be not afraid! Say unto the cities of Judah: "Behold your God!"

—Isaiah 40:9.

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PAUL WERNER,
AGENT; in connection with Canadian National Railways.

M. M. Mecklenburg, the well-known optical specialist, will be at the Royal Hotel, Stony Plain, on Monday, February 28. See him and see good.

**Mr. Chas. Schultz's
Big Auction Sale,
Thursday March 10.**

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr Albert Willie is making a good recovery from the effects of his recent accident.

Some half-dozen immigrants from Austria arrived this week, consigned to Agt. Werner, who placed them on train.

Concert and dance February 25, in Wudel's hall, by the Girls' Club has been postponed.

The dance billed for Wudel hall on Friday night last had to be cancelled, as a result of the very sudden indisposition of the musicians.

Some little excitement was caused on Main street yesterday morning when the team attached to the school van ran away. They were brought to a standstill at the Bank corner before much damage had been done.

Two more families arrived in Stony last week from Jugoslavia, these being Mr. Fr. Stoeckl and Mrs. Hy Hobel and children, making up a party of eight. Messrs Hobel and Stoeckl came out last summer, and had homes all ready.

While helping operate a crushing mill, Monday afternoon, on the farm of Mr P. Eyer, Mr Max Bawer was unfortunate enough to have his left hand caught in the machine, crushing the index and second fingers. He was brought to town, where his injury was attended to by Dr Walton.

Mr Chas Schultz is holding a clearance sale of his pure bred stock, machinery, etc., at his farm in Stony Plain, on Thurs. March 10. See posters.

The report is now confirmed of the sale of the former Experimental farm, mentioned in the last issue. The purchaser, Mr John Schulz of Golden Spike, will shortly take possession, the former owner, Mr Charles Schultz, moving in to Stony with his family, if a suitable place can be secured. Mr J Schulz's farms at Golden Spike have been sold to Messrs G H Baron and John Dedick.

Stony's hockeyists played in Duffield on Sunday, the trip up taking three hours. The trip home only took six hours. The story listens like a chapter from "Amundsen's Trip to the South Pole in a Greaser Car." The professional man who returned with the party shoveled snow the first ten miles, broke his shovel and walked home. The boys got tired carrying one car and left it near the Carvel road. Another car was abandoned five miles out. So many local players had blistered palms from snow-shoveling, stick-handling was a painful proposition, so the Stonys were very fortunate in getting 3 goals to the Duffers' 6. Mr Schmidt suggests the next trip be made with dog teams.—By a Staff reporter with the Expedition.

GET IT AT HARDWICK'S

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We Have Six Young Men's Dressy All-year-round Overcoats at less than wholesale prices—\$16.50 and \$18.50, to clear.

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Have You Seen Our New Line of Men's Caps, just in, very smart—\$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.25.

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HAVE YOU RENEWED
YOUR SUBSCRIPTION ?

Health Broken—Lost 66 lbs. Now Well, Won Back 82 lbs.

Ottawa merchant, formerly city officer, rundown by kidney trouble. Wasted from 201 to 135 lbs.

Tanlac restored robust health; now weighs 217 lbs. and feels fine

Philas Scoulin's grocery at 285 St. Patrick St., is well known in Ottawa. He was a prominent citizen and city officer. When ill-health seized him he lost weight rapidly. "I had kidney trouble for 6 years," he tells us, "and was very weak. I lay down many times, from sheer weakness. I have fallen where I stood, and had to be helped to my feet."

"I was sick all over my entire system, especially my back, which felt like splitting. Needless to say, I could neither eat nor sleep normally. Weak and weary, I would have me trembling all over. I faded away from 201 to 135 lbs., and tried endless treatments and medicines in those 6 years, with no results."

"I had begun to despair, and when a friend advised Tanlac I was skeptical. But one month's regular Tanlac treatment, and I was convinced me that I was on the road to health. I kept on taking Tanlac and to my delight and surprise it made me a new man in a surprisingly short time."



Now I weigh 217 lbs., eat and sleep like a healthy boy, and feel like a different man altogether."

If neglect or overwork are taking toll of your health, try Tanlac. It is nature's own tonic, a blend of roots, herbs and hops. Your druggist has it. Over 52 million bottles sold.

It's All In The State Of Mind

If you think you are beaten, you are;

If you think you don't, you don't;

If you think you'd like to win, but you can't;

It's almost a "cinch" you won't;

If you think you'll lose, you've lost;

For it's in your mind you will find;

Success begins with a fellow's will—

It's all in the state of mind.

Full many a race is lost.

Ere even a race is run,

And many a coward falls

Even before the work begins.

Think big, and your dream will grow.

Think small and you fall behind,

Think that you can and you will;

It's all in the state of mind.

If you think you are outclassed, you are;

You go to work to think it out;

You've got to be sure of yourself

You can over win a prize.

Life's battles do not always go

To the stronger or faster man;

But sooner or later, the弱者 wins

Is the fellow who thinks he can.

Throughout Western Canada people are now eagerly looking forward to the breakup of winter and are beginning to plan for the season's work which lies ahead. The farmer is giving thought to the crops he will sow, arranging to overhaul his machinery, looking into the matter of good, clean seed, and is becoming impatient for the frost to come out of the ground in order that he may begin turning over the furrows. The farm wife is beginning to think of her poultry and vegetable garden. In the cities and towns plans are being laid for building operations, civic officials are preparing programmes of improvements, men and women are studying seed catalogues and dreaming of their gardens to be. Everywhere, everybody is looking forward.

People, too, are asking themselves the question: "What will the year bring forth?" Generally, a feeling of optimism prevails. Perhaps never before in Canada's history has there been such unanimity among the heads of all banks, insurance companies, financial and industrial concerns, railway executives, and business men,—usually of the most cautious and conservative type,—in predicting that Canada is on the eve of remarkable, unprecedented development. There is a hopeful feeling everywhere.

It is believed that 1927 will be a year of opportunity, although nothing in the nature of a "boom" is expected or desired. Western people have surely learned the lesson that substantial, permanent progress can only rest on strong foundations; that to build on paper is to invite disaster. For this reason there is danger that some people will be timid in grasping opportunities which present themselves even though they are in a sound position to take full advantage of them. Their very timidity, their lack of confidence in themselves, in their country, may be their own undoing.

The lines quoted at the opening of this article are, however, not directed only to the attention of those who are fearful of launching out on some enterprise this year, but to all the people of Western Canada at this time as they plan for the year's work ahead.

It is true today, as has always been true, that the person who thinks he is beaten is beaten. The beginning of success is the "will" to succeed. The determination never to acknowledge defeat. This, too, is our British birth-right. Many and many a time in our Empire's history the outlook has been dark, defeat seemed inevitable, but our people would never admit it and fought on and on until victory was achieved and success crowned their efforts.

One of the factors in enabling George Young to swim Captain channel and win the big prize offered was his confidence in himself. He was confronted with obstacles from the beginning of his journey from Toronto to California and all along the way, but he was convinced of his ability to win, and win he did. Courage and perseverance were his watchwords. He possessed the right state of mind.

Western Canadians, with their country of wonderful resources as an asset, can accomplish almost anything to which they make up their minds and to which they devote their energies with real determination to achieve. Amazing things have been accomplished in the past, but the present offers equally great opportunities and still greater things can be done and richer rewards won if our people are convinced they can do these things and make up their minds to do them.

The sunlight of happiness seldom falls upon a shady reputation.

Many a man's peck of trouble comes in liquid form.

**Cuticura Loveliness
A Priceless Heritage**

For generations mothers have been using Cuticura Preparations for all toilet purposes, and have been teaching their daughters that daily use of Cuticura is the best way to keep hair and body hair. They find the soap pure and cleansing, the Ointment soothing and healing, should any irritation occur. Use the Talcum in local toilet powder.

Sample Free by Mail. Address Canadian Importers, 25 and 30, Yonge Street, Toronto, Ont. Cuticura Shaving Soap 25c.

Total Eclipse of the Sun

Unusual Phenomena to be Witnessed in England on June 29

English astronomers are preparing to view on June 29, the first total eclipse of the sun which has visited England in 263 years and the last one until 1999.

The belt of country in which the eclipse will be total is only 80 miles wide, running from the north of Wales in the west to Hartlepool on the North Sea in the east. So popular is the interest in the unusual event that several railroads will run special trains to various points in the belt.

The total eclipse begins over England at 5:25 a.m. Greenwich mean time, and is visible in its totality from 21.7 seconds in the west to 21.6 seconds in the east.

Astronomers here point out that with a total eclipse, such as will be seen this year, the corona is visible, which is not the case with partial eclipses.

Several parties of astronomers are planning expeditions to Norway, where the visibility will be better than in England. Three Greenwich astronomers will take two telescopes and two spectroscopes to a station in Yorkshire, and other parties will go to both the west and east coast.

2 Years' Backache Subdued by "Nervilene"

If you come from England, Ireland or Scotland you are pretty sure to be a tea drinker and a good judge of "good tea".

On that account we particularly request that you try a package of Red Rose Tea. You will find it has the "old home" taste, as Red Rose Tea was originally put up by a famous London firm. And in later years in our Canadian plant the blending and packing has been under the supervision of one of the best trained men of the London tea rooms.

You will enjoy Red Rose. It is what you will call "good tea".

"Every package is guaranteed."

RED ROSE

TEA "is good tea"

RED ROSE ORANGE PEKOE is extra good.

Is Considered a Miracle

Body of Romanian Priest Dead Two Centuries in Wall Preserved

A glass case to display the well-preserved body of a priest dead two hundred years has been ordered by the peasants of the Cluj district, Romania. They look upon the preservation of the body around which six wooden coffins have crumbled as a miracle. Doctors have tried to explain to the peasants why this body is in good condition, but they prefer to accept the theory of supernatural.

To pay for the expensive glass casket an admission fee is to be charged of those viewing the body.

One way to get rid of unpleasant people is to begin giving them advice.

FELT VERY WEAK

Had No Ambition and Had to Rest Frequently

Mr. William G. Williams, Manitoulin Island, Ont., is one of the many thousands of women who was run-down and bloodless, and who has found new health through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. "For a number of years I felt very weak and had no ambition. I found it very difficult to do my housework and had to rest frequently. Some passed my strength and I decided to give up my feet and legs were badly swollen. My husband took the doctor of my condition, and he gave me medicine. I took it faithfully and the doctor attended me. He said I was sending out my blood—that it had turned to water. I continued taking his medicine for a time, but did not notice any improvement in my condition. Then I started to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In a short while I felt better, and after taking the pills for a couple of months I was a new person. Where my work used to be a drag upon my strength I enjoy doing it now, and I will always recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to make people strong."

If you will send your name and address to The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., they will mail you a little book entitled "Wake Up the Blood," which contains many health hints. You can get the pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Too many men wait until they have been done to a turn before turning over a new leaf.

Persistent Asthma

A most distressing characteristic of the debilitated cases is persistent asthma, with which recurring attacks come to sap away strength and leave the sufferer in a state of almost continual exhaustion. The following simple steps taken that of keeping at hand a supply of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy, famous as the most potent remedy for eradicating the disease from the tender air passages.

Men are so contrary that if their wives wanted them to stay out late they probably wouldn't do it.

Want Free Port

Urge Free Port at Ocean Terminal of H. B. Road

The establishment of a free port at the ocean terminal of the Hudson's Bay Railway will be urged by some Progressive members of the House of Commons when the annual debate on the railway takes place. One member has expressed the conviction that if Fort Nelson (or Fort Churchill—if the terminal is finally established there) were made a free trade port, the cost of construction of Canada's railway to the Northern Seas could be wiped out in a few years and the financial success of the road assured.

The number of motor accidents will not decrease until automobile drivers have less horsepower and drivers have more horse-sense.

Athletes use Minard's Liniment.

W. N. U. 1669

Children Cry for

Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER:—Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of *Charles Fletcher*. Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

Importance Of Maintaining Moisture In The Indoor Air During The Winter Months

The extreme importance of maintaining sufficient moisture in the indoor air during the heating season has not been fully realized in Canada. Of course, everyone knows in a general way that the atmosphere of our houses is much too dry in the winter months, but very few realize the extent to which the condition affects our health and comfort, not to mention the increased consumption of fuel and destruction to house furnishings.

Insulated houses without artificial means of humidification, are particularly liable to develop unhealthy living conditions in winter.

The human nose performs all the duties of a well-ordered air conditioning plant in a threefold way, acting as a filter for dust and bacteria, heating the air which enters the lungs and humidifying it to 40 per cent relative humidity. If hot, very dry air is breathed continuously, the nose is called on to furnish large amounts of moisture, resulting in the drying up of mucus membranes and nasal secretions, and the subsequent irritation and swelling of the tender membranes of the throat and nose. This frequently causes headaches and dizziness and prepares a receptive field for disease germs.

The New York State Commission, in their investigation of ventilation conditions in the schools of the State, found that they were able to reduce the temperature in the school rooms from 73 degrees Fahrenheit to 68 degrees by the proper humidification of the air, with perfect maintenance of comfort. That is, the effective temperature was lowered ten degrees. They also determined that the children's inclination to work was increased 35 per cent, by the cooler atmosphere. In an industrial investigation this commission proved that excessive heat promotes premature fatigue. Subjects under test working on power, received a bonus of 10 per cent for additional to flat rate, did 13 per cent more work at 68 degrees than at 75 degrees.

The excessively high temperature required for comfort in dry air, wastes considerable heat. Temperatures of 75 degrees to 80 degrees are common in houses with low humidity, whereas only 65 degrees Fahrenheit is necessary for comfort in a properly moderated atmosphere.

In houses, particularly those not insulated, the raising of the temperature from 70 degrees Fahrenheit to 80 degrees Fahrenheit is usually difficult and requires forcing of fires with a subsequent loss of efficiency in the burning of coal. Although the evaporation of water to produce proper humidification requires some heat, a considerable overall fuel economy is effected owing to the lower temperature required for comfort.

Considerable controversy has arisen between various cities as to humidity conditions as to the actual amount of fuel saved in this way. Some investigators contend that very little saving is accomplished, while others maintain that economies amounting to 15 per cent are possible. The general consensus of opinion according to an analysis by the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior, at Ottawa, is that a net saving of from 5 to 10 per cent of fuel may be made in the average house by moistening the air to the proper degree.

World's Best Lighted Street

A recent survey of the Great White Way shows that Broadway remains the most brilliantly lighted street in the world. Along the line of Broadway below 125th street there are 12,660 electric signs, regularly using more than 1,000,000 lamps. Restaurants and lead this list of illuminated business places with 3,000 electric signs.

Station Master (to elderly woman who has just entered first class compartment) — Art you first class, madam?

Woman — Yes, thank you. How are you?

Prince as a Farmer

Says Knowledge of Chemistry, Botany and Engineering is Necessary

The Prince of Wales in the role of a dirt farmer, told the National Farmers' union meeting in England knowledge of chemistry, botany and engineering was a necessary part of the modern farmer's equipment.

Speaking at a dinner given by the union, he announced that he had just acquired a new farm, in addition to the one he already owns. He said he was studying the business viewpoint, which he regarded as essential for successful farming.



1516 The Short Jacket is Ultra-Smart

Very chic in the separate jacket this season and is decidedly smart when fashioned of velveteen, jersey, or silk. It has a wide notched collar, the edge is rounded gracefully in front and there is a notched collar, two-piece sleeves finished with cuffs, and set-in pockets. Size 15 (short jacket) is in sizes 16, 18 years, 28, 30 and 42 inches bust. Size 18 (long bust) requires 2½ yards 36-inch material, or 2 yards 44-inch 36 yards length. Price 20 cents the pattern.

The Blouse fastens on the left hip and has a long tie or convertible collar, which may be worn high or as illustrated. There are ties at each shoulder and long sleeves gathered to wrist-bands. The blouse is No. 1300 and is in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40 and 44 inches bust. Size 36 bust requires 2½ yards 33-inch material, or 2 yards 54-inch length. Price 20 cents the pattern.

The skirt in View A, has plaited in slant and gathered on the back and is joined to the daffited camisole top. No. 1007 is in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust. Size 36 bust requires 3 yards 36-inch material for skirt and 1 yard for camisole-top. Price 20 cents the pattern.

The skirt in View B, has plaited in slant and gathered on the back and is joined to the daffited camisole top. No. 1194 is in sizes 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 inches waist. Any size requires 3½ yards each material and ½ yards for camisole-top. Price 20 cents the pattern.

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Address—Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg.

Pattern No. Size.

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Name.

Town.

Coal Merchant: "Did you find any dirt in that bag of coal I sent you?"

Customer: "No; but I found a few small pieces of coal in that bag of dirt you sent me."

A man's good deeds are limited but there is no end to the mischief he can accomplish.

Vegetable Growing in Far North

Possibilities of Gardening at Fort Vermilion, Alberta

The reports of the experimenters in charge of the Dominion stations in the far north, just published at Ottawa, are of special interest as showing the possibilities of agriculture in that region. Three varieties of radish sown at Fort Vermilion, Alberta, on April 30 were ready for use early in June. Long White Icicle sown June 6 were ready June 18. They were excellent quality and remained in use until late August. Cauliflower is usually a good crop. It is sown under glass about April 24, is transplanted a month later and ready for use in another month.

Cabbage and Brussels sprouts were treated the same way about the same time and were harvested in September. Tomatoes sown in hot beds April 27 and transplanted June 1, were harvested between August 5 and 18. Earliest of All yielded 105 pounds, large in size and of good quality. Bonny Best, Danish Expert, and Earlana were also of good quality. Garden peas sown May 5 were available July 4. Twelve varieties of beans sown May 6 were generally ready a few days after the middle of July. All are reported good and tender, only one variety being stringy. Eleven varieties of broad beans sown May 6 were ready for table use August 1 and all good quality. Onions sown from sets and matured by the returns of our varieties were good and of two other varieties fair. Sown May 1 to 4 they were generally ready for use around the middle of June. Celery, rhubarb, pumpkins, cucumbers and potatoes all did well. Three varieties of table corn sown July 7 were ready from August 12 to 14 and ran from 34 to 42 inches in height. Howes Alberta Flint was the most prolific.

Ho (passionately)—I tell you my love for you is making me mad—mad—mad.

She (calmly)—Well, keep quiet about it. It's had the same effect on my father.

Champion Radio Announcer



"It is quite true, I really had 'stage fright,'" said genial George Wright, explaining that when at the close of the radio show in Vancouver he was offered the cup which signalled the fact that he had been elected the most popular broadcasting announcer on the Pacific Coast. He was half inclined to do more than satisfy, give a half-shrug. "Thanks," "I found there is a vast difference between talking over the air through a microphone and speaking to a crowd of people present and visible."

Mr. Wright is chief announcer at CNRV, the Canadian National Broad-

casting station at Vancouver, British Columbia, and the vote which placed him at the head of the list was in progress for some months. From all States of the Union along the Pacific and adjoining territory there was a big poll in favor of Mr. Wright, while scarcely a dissenting vote was cast in so far as British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan were concerned.

CNRV is an outstanding station on the Pacific Coast and its message from Canada is consistently heard from Alaska to Mexico and flows well across the great ocean.

Increasing National Health Results From Abstinence And More Outdoor Exercise

Success in Canning Foods

Freshness and Celery in Handling

Essential said Expert
"A century and a quarter have elapsed since Nicholas Appert discovered that cooked foods could be preserved in airtight containers. Appert enjoyed an enviable reputation as a chemist through his mastery of the art of selecting and preserving delicate appetizing foods. In his published works, he speaks of obtaining the best quality, preserving aroma and states that freshness, celery in handling and preserving are indispensable for articles that are to be preserved.

India Leads With Cattle

But Australia Is Sheep Country of the World

British India, with 143,174,000 head of cattle, leads the world in total numbers of this live stock. United States is second with 65,506,000 head; the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics in Europe has 37,716,700; Argentina, 27,064,850; Germany, 17,26,098; France, 14,621,960; Australia, 12,357,508; Great Britain and Ireland, 12,062,623; and Canada, 9,460,536.

Australia is the largest holder of sheep with almost 100,000,000 head. Canada has only 2,681,743 head.

New Capital for Rumania

Queen Marie in a published interview states that while in the United States she discussed a scheme for building a new capital in place of Bucharest by a United States enterprise. Her wish is to transfer the capital from Bucharest for esthetic pleasure. She is said to favor Brasov (Kronstadt) in Transylvania, the geographical centre of Rumania.

It was stated the other day by a medical lecturer that modern man eats less, drinks less, and wears fewer clothes than his ancestors, and that, therefore, he lives longer and is less frequently affected by disease while he lives. Not only so, but he is a stranger to many of the diseases with which his ancestors were all too familiar; for example, gout and rheumatic disorders. These two diseases are certainly on the wane — so much so that young medical men know of them chiefly by tradition. The once commonplace spectacle of "middle aged a prisoner to its great toe" is now rare enough to be an object of curiosity. Probably the passing of gluttony as a national vice has accomplished more real benefit than the passing of the tendency to alcohol excess, though this view is not universally accepted and cannot, for the reason that excessive eating and excessive drinking have declined almost simultaneously, be easily substantiated.

It is easy to discount from the picture of increasing national health the influence of outdoor exercise, the enthusiasm for which, among all classes, has marched side by side with the desire to practise temperance. If, for instance, the gradual disappearance of gout is to be ascribed to the love of frugality, and the gradual disappearance of the once notorious "gin-drinker's liver" to abstinence from ardent spirits, the quite sudden disappearance of anæmia among young girls may properly be ascribed to new and better methods of recreation. These new methods of recreation have to a large extent determined the recent changes in woman's clothing and hairdressing, to which, not unnaturally, has been ascribed, and is being ascribed, much of her present-day vigor of mind and body. Abstinence and exercise, again, are complementary to one another and proceed from a common impulse—the desire to live grandly. This desire is the basis of the romantic temperament, which, again, finds its sanctions in enthusiasm and faith.—London Times.

Improving the Herd

What Can be Accomplished in the Building of a Dairy Herd

An illustration of what can be accomplished in building up a dairy herd is provided in the experience of the Experimental Station at Ste-Anne de la Pocatiere, Quebec. In 1921 the average production of the milk herd was 59,422 lbs. of milk, containing 250.22 lbs. of fat. In 1925 it had increased to 9,754 lbs. of milk, containing almost 500 lbs. of fat.

The increasing average production is due, for the most part, to the observance of fundamental principles of management, which are good feeding for the twelve months of the year; regularly in the hours of milking and feeding; the keeping of milk, fat and feed records; gradual elimination of the poor cows and the replacement of the latter either through the rearing of heifers from record sires and dams or through purchase at an opportune time.

Mr. Ste. Marie the superintendent of the station states in his report that the logical way to get rid of scrub cows is to weigh and test their produce, keep records and turn them out.

Variety in Collection

Found in a collection taken in St. Patrick's Church in Soho, London, were two Canadian coins, six American, three English, two French, one Italian, five Belgian and one German. There was also a trolley car pass between Philadelphia and Washington, D. C. The church, founded in 1792, is the most cosmopolitan of all London churches.

Little Molly and Dolly approached the table on which was a dish of apples, an extra large one on top.

"Is you greedy?" asked Molly, after a long look at the fruit.

"No," answered Dolly. "I'm not greedy."

"Well," said Molly, "you choose first!"

RESOLUTION ASKS FOR LOW RATES ON ALBERTA COAL

Ottawa.—A national policy by which Ontario and other parts of Central Canada will be supplied with Canadian coal was discussed in the House of Commons on a resolution proposed by T. L. Church (Conservative, Toronto Northwest).

Mr. Church's resolution asked for lower rates on Alberta coal and duty against coal from the United States "to insure an all-British supply for Canada and afford adequate protection for coal miners."

Mr. Church said the present Canadian coal policy was ready-made and pro-American and blamed the directors of the Canadian National Railway for the fact that most of the coal used in Ontario comes from United States mines.

"I am surprised," Mr. Speaker, that you have not ruled this motion out of order, as the question is before the railway commission. Is this a free Parliament or is it not?" Mr. Church asked, and proceeded to emphasize what he claimed was the desire of the people of Canada to speedily with this question of coal supply. "I am not criticizing Sir Henry Thornton personally," said Mr. Church, "but the east country that allows this thing to go on."

The rate of \$9 a ton offered by the railways for bringing Alberta coal to Ontario, did not meet the need. It must be lower than that.

"You will never make any headway on this question as long as the present directors of the C.N.R. are handling it." Mr. Church said to the present minister of railways. "He said the reference to the railway commission was made a year ago, and the indications were that there would be no decision from it in time for any movement of coal next summer.

Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of interior, said the coal question had been receiving considerable thought and study on the part of the government.

Mr. Stewart read at some length from a report of the fuel board on the entire fuel situation of Canada. At the conclusion, Mr. Stewart pointed out that the Government was actually developing a real fuel policy which had reduced the importations of American coal by 2,000,000 tons a year since 1923.

General Rates Higher In East

West Favored in This Respect Says C.P.R. Man

Ottawa.—A comparison between rates and conditions in Eastern and Western Canada was dealt with specially on the railway rate case before the railway commission by George Stephen, assistant freight traffic manager of the C.P.R.

In the West, said Mr. Stephen, grain rates to Fort William were by far the lowest in the world. In the East grain rates, except those on Western grain moving for export, were much higher than those in the West. Livestock enjoyed a basis of rates in both territories which was lower relatively than that applied to any other class of freight.

In the East, he said, it had been found necessary to give special consideration to manufactured products and merchandise and numerous rates had been put in for the purpose of fostering industry and meeting market competition. Going into particulars, he stated that the class rates in the East were as high as or higher than the class rates in the West up to distances of about 100 miles beyond which the western rates were for the most part higher though on some classes western rates were lower even up to 200 miles. For example, the sixth class rate which applies to agricultural implements and was therefore very important in the West was, in the West, equal to or less than that in the East up to 100 miles.

Constantinople.—Turkish official organs say a treaty prolonging the present commercial agreement between Turkey and the U.S. will be signed shortly.

May Reduce Cattle Rates to Britain

Winnipeg.—A reduction in ocean freight rates in cattle shipments to the British Isles looks as a possibility in the near future. Dr. J. H. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, stated in an address here before the Western Livestock Union. Dr. Grisdale declares that, as the result of a recent conference with officials of the various steamship lines, an understanding has been reached that the question of reduced rates would be fully considered.

Any downward readjustment, he asserted, would depend upon the recommendations of steamship representatives in the Dominion. If a \$5 reduction could be obtained, it would lessen the difference between a profit or a loss based on shipments of Canadian cattle.

While stressing the importance of enlarging the home market for Canadian farm produce every effort should be made to cultivate and extend trade with Great Britain, Dr. J. H. Grisdale said.

"I do not look for any wild rush of United States legislators to lower the tariff bars against our products. On the other hand, I believe Britain is in a position to take all the surplus Canada can produce, providing the quality is there," he added.

The attitude of British traders toward Canadian beef was becoming more favorable each year. Experience was teaching them that Canadian stock cattle was of a high standard. The shipper on this side however, did not appear to be availing himself of the opportunity as statistics showed that only \$9,000 head had been shipped to Britain in 1926, compared with \$25,000 head from Ireland.

France Refuses to Attend Conference

Will Not Take Part in U.S. Parley on Disarmament

Washington.—Hopes of the Washington government for an effective naval limitation conference have been jolted severely by a polite rejection from France and a forecast that Italy also will decline to participate. With the declination of France the opinion here was that Italy would accept and still make possible the gathering of representatives of sufficient number of nations to bring practical results in the timing of armaments not touched upon at the Washington conference.

A semi-official communiqué issued in Rome, however, announced that Italy would follow the lead of France in demurring to the proposal of President Coolidge for the conference leaving as a matter of conjecture the next step of the United States Government in seeking methods of obtaining the agreements which is hoped for.

Tentative consideration had been given to a possible four-power conference participated in by the United States, Japan, Italy and Great Britain even before the unfavorable French reply was received. Acceptance of the Coolidge invitation were considered as having been assured from Japan and Great Britain, but obviously the attitude of Great Britain may now be affected by the position of France and Italy.

For the moment it is unlikely that any plan of further action will be formulated here in the advance of the British and Japanese formal replies.

Passenger Held Liable

Seattle.—Holding that a passenger in an automobile which fatally injured another person has as much to blame as the driver of the car, Judge A. W. Hawkins sentenced Mrs. Christine Hopkins to from one to 20 years in state penitentiary. She was convicted of manslaughter on charges resulting from the death of Lois Amos, 11. The driver of the car disappeared.

Fog Delays Belgian Rulers

London.—Clearing of the fog enabled the King and Queen of Belgium to make a delayed departure for home via Dover. They had hoped to fly back, but conditions prevented the royal visitors from attending the Flemish picture exhibition.

They declared they had enjoyed their visit despite the unfavorable weather.

REVENUE FROM FREIGHT BETTER ON THE PRAIRIES

Ottawa.—Reasons for the passage of a great amount of Canadian grain from the Great Lakes west to the Atlantic port over the United States railway and through United States ports, were discussed before the Board of Railway Commissioners investigating freight rates.

The discussion arose during the examination of George Stephen, assistant freight traffic manager of Canadian Pacific Railway. Commissioner Oliver, who called attention to the quantity of grain being shipped via the United States, termed the situation a "very serious national problem."

Counsel for the C.P.R. contended that the movement of grain within Canada had greatly increased during the period of open navigation and counsel for the Maritime Provinces added that the available ocean tonnage was the deciding factor. Exporters took their grain to the port where facilities were ready to receive it.

Mr. Stephen pointed out certain characteristics of the freight business in British Columbia. One of the most important of these was the large percentage of the territory which was absolutely non-traffic producing.

This was accounted for by mountainous conditions and by the fact that at least 53 per cent. of the population resided in seaboard cities. He compared this with the condition in the prairie provinces where the population was well distributed, the latest census figures indicating that the rural population of Manitoba was 56 per cent. of the total. In Saskatchewan the rural population comprised 70.5 per cent. of the total and in Alberta 61.7 per cent. This meant that in the prairie provinces the distribution of freight was evenly placed and there were no barren stretches such as existed in British Columbia.

Iron Deposits in Italy

Rome.—Iron deposits found near Leghorn may prove to be of such size that Italy can rank with England and Germany in industrial power. The country has no iron now and has been importing all the metal used.

Lepers in New York

New York.—There are twenty-one lepers at large in New York city. Dr. Louis Harris, health commissioner said. These cases are under surveillance always and are not capable of transmitting the disease he added.



Canadian Wolves Feature U.S. Exhibit

Timber wolves are the latest recruits to the rank of the Chateau Frontenac, Dog team at Quebec City. Arthur Beauvais, driver of the team, caught the three cubs in the wilds of Ontario and after much patience has subdued their wild natures enough to let them run with the husky dogs. The wolves are only a few months old and beautiful specimens, sleek and alert with the shifty cunning look of their kind.

The photograph shows Douglas Hains, of the tourist department

Planning New Building

Government Needs Seven to House

Federal Departments in Ottawa—It is heralded in local newspapers as marking the commencement in a pretentious scheme of Federal Government structures on Wellington street, the thoroughfare fronting the parliament buildings and known as Federal Row, an item of \$500,000 for "new departmental buildings" was contained in the estimates tabled by the minister of finance.

The Citizen says in this connection, that seven buildings in all with an estimated value of \$15,000,000 are to be erected to house federal departments in the capital, but that only one is to be built at present. The cost of this first structure is estimated at \$2,500,000 and erection is expected to be commenced shortly, the \$500,000 item already tabled being considered sufficient to meet any expenditures this year.

Plans of the buildings, its size and the departments to have their headquarters therein must await consideration of the cabinet council.

Fewer Wage-Earners

Only Four Out of Ten Work for Living in U.S. is Report

New York.—Less than four out of ten persons in the United States in 1925, were working for a living, according to a study made public by the National Industrial Conference Board.

A decline in the number of gainfully occupied persons in proportion to total population in the United States between 1910 and 1920, and a further 1920 and 1925, are reported. Relatively larger school and college enrollments and changes in immigration are credited with being among the chief factors in producing the trend.

Reform of Senate

New Members Will Give Support to Move in This Direction

Ottawa.—All Canadian senators appointed during the past two years have given an assurance of support of such measures of Senate reform, in accordance with the amendment of the constitution, as may be introduced by the Liberal administration.

This declaration is given in an answer tabled by the Government in the House in reply to a question by John Evans (Progressive, Rosetown).

Home Bank Creditors

Ottawa.—The sum of \$222,000 voted by Parliament for the relief of Home Bank creditors, remains unpaid because certain claims have not yet been dealt with by the commissioners, according to a Government answer to questions in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Prescription Sent By Radio

Directions Given by Surgeon Saved Sailor's Eyesight

New York.—How radio directions for the manufacture and use of an electric magnet saved the eyesight of a sailor several hundred miles at sea is related here. Particles of iron that had penetrated the iris of the right eye of Peter Kruif, a seaman on the American Diamond Line freighter "Tomava," were removed by use of a soft iron bar enclosed by a coil of wire and charged with electricity from the ship's radio set. The prescription was fished by an eye surgeon on another ship.

Department of S.C.R. Report

Ottawa.—The Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment spent \$5,400,453 in the last fiscal year, according to a statement tabled in the House of Commons by Hon. Dr. J. H. King, the minister. There was a reduction of 422 in the number of patients receiving treatment from the previous year, the total being 3,097.

Safety in Air Trade

London.—"London streets are far too dangerous so I'm selling my taxi and going into the air taxi business," says Harold Holcombe, who is studying aviation.

No Duty on Used Planes

Ottawa.—A duty is not being levied under the Anti-Smuggling Act on used planes entering Canada, according to a reply to a question by John Millar (Liberal) in the House.

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A Bylaw (No. 1) restraining
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animals are prohibited from run-
ning at large within the limits
of the said Municipality during
the whole of the year.

Form of Ballot.

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Feature of Ontario Winter Carnival



- Entries in the Dog race.
- Figure Skaters in action.
- Sled-joring at Preston Springs, Ontario.

Reports of thrilling dog derbies from
Banff, Quebec City and other
winter resorts in Canada have
had their effect upon the boys of
Preston Springs, Ontario. The three
lads in the above photograph spent
most of their time this winter
running the traces in preparation
for the winter carnival which was
held at that popular resort recently.
It was reported that the dogs they had been reading about,
they lacked nothing in enthusiasm
for their bit race.

Up until several days at the car-
nival, a rumor was circulated among
the three that a real huskie was
entered. The afternoon proved the
rumor to be true, but the jealousy of the
collies was greater than the

annoyance of the boys. The only
huskie entry was relegated to obscurity
as far as the race was concerned, by
the peaceful-looking collie in the
centre.

The annual winter carnival at
Preston Springs provided the usual
attractions of skating, sledging and
all kinds of winter sports. Prominent
skating and figure skaters gathered for
the events from many parts of Can-
ada and from across the border.

Preston Spring's proximity to Town-
to has made it popular as a winter
sports gathering place. Many clubs
in Ontario sent representatives to
conquer the events including the
well-known Forest Skating Club.
A camp fire pow-wow concluded the
festivities of the annual carnival. The
grounds of the Preston Springs Hotel
were crowded with the merry-makers,
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The Market Report.

	WHEAT.	CALENDAR
No. 1 Northern	1.16	February— 26—Elections for Inga Councillors.
No. 2 Northern	1.07	28—Mecklenburg, eye specialist, at Stony Plain.
No. 3 Northern	1.04	28—Gus Gitzel's Sale.
No. 4 Northern	.85	March 1—John Mayer's Auction Sale at Golden Spike.
OATS.		1—Muskrat season opens.
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3 C. W.	.41	8—Val Hennig Sale.
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Stony Plain and District.

The Walther League conference opened in Stony Plain on Friday last, with about 70 delegates in attendance. Sessions were held on three days. A banquet was held in St Matthew Schoolhouse Friday evening. Some very interesting addresses were delivered at the various sessions. Rev. Bailey, of the Educational Committee of the International Walther League, left on Monday to attend the Conference in Calgary of the southern Alberta districts.

"Standing room only!" was the order when the concert opened at Muir Lake School house on Friday night. A splendid program had been arranged, and each item met the approval of the audience. About 11 p.m. dancing commenced, and continued till the early hours.

A select party of friends assembled Friday evening last at the home of Mr and Mrs Louie Heichel, at Golden Spike, to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs Heichel. The evening was spent with card playing and dancing. At midnight a dainty lunch was spread, to which all did ample justice. On departing, the guests wished their hostess many happy returns.

The cases of the two Turlocks of Duffield, charged by J W Denton, with assault, was continued last week before Magistrate Primrose, in Edmonton. The charge against the elder Turlock was withdrawn. Pete Turlock was given a severe lecture by the Magistrate, and fined the costs of the case. McLaughlin defended.

At Mewassin, Jan. 26, to the wife of Mr Emil Krause, a son.

At Golden Spike, Jan. 24, to the wife of Mr T R Eddy, a son.

At Blueberry, Feb. 5th, to the wife of Mr Val Miller, a son.

Pr. Rupert as a Grain Port

It will be of interest to Alberta people to know that 4,000,000 bu. of wheat have been shipped from Pr. Rupert by the Wheat Pool from the 1926 crop.

Pr. Rupert has practically been "made" as a grain port by the operations of the Pool. When the Pool took over the Government terminal elevator there never had been any grain shipped from that port. It was contended that the Pool would loose because of the difference in the ocean rates between Vancouver and Prince Rupert.

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The Town Hall, on Saturday, Feb. 26th, 3 to 6 P.M.

United Church Ladies' Aid.

Inga Ratepayers Meet

There was a good turnout of ratepayers of Inga Municipality on Saturday afternoon last at the annual meeting in Wudel's Hall, Stony Plain. Mr Tom Scott was in the chair, with Inga Councillors ranged around him. A short address was given by Reeve McKinlay (councillor for Division 1), explaining the expenditures in connection with the work done last season on the extension of the Meridian road, from Sinner's Corner South. The debate which followed this was participated in by Messrs Ben Powell, Fred Berry, August Burger, Ph Litzenberger and others. On the conclusion of the discussion Chairman Scott read a short synopsis of the proposed Herd Law which will be submitted to the electorate on February 26. It was suggested by one resident farmer that this Herd Law should be changed so that the ratepayers in each Division of the Municipality should vote on it, independent of the other Divisions. This suggestion was combatted by several speakers who followed, these latter showing how such a plan would work an injustice on some ratepayers, and explaining how difficult it would be to enforce a herd law piecemealed in this fashion. This closed the discussion on this matter.

When the Chairman called for nominations for Councilors in the 3 divisions vacant, Nos. 1, 4 & 6, Mr Christie Pitzler and Mr M. McKinlay were nominated in Div. 1. In Divs. 4 & 6 the retiring councillors were re-elected.

Spruce Grove News

While the members of the family of Mr Robt. Beuerlein were preparing Sunday dinner, the chimney caught fire from the accumulation of soot. Two men who happened to be passing at the time helped subdue the blaze. During the excitement, Mrs Beuerlein missed her footing on the stairs, fell, and broke several ribs. Mr and Mrs Wm Kelly of Stony arrived in time to help the volunteer firemen. This family is rather unfortunate at present, Mr. Robt. Beuerlein being in an Edmonton hospital at present, recovering from an operation; as is also his daughter, Mrs Reed.

The nominations for Spruce Grove M. D. Councillors on Saturday resulted: Div. 2, Dan Giese and Geo. Schultz; Div. 4, Harold Ball, M Cleish, and Jacob Duvediuk, A F Nicholls, L Sinclair; Div. 6, Dan Brock, E C McLaughlin.

Both candidates in Div. 6 have been carrying on a very active campaign all week.

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LOST ON Sat. Jan. 15, on trail between Stony and Comet, one patchwork quilt. Leave at Sun Office.

Here and There

Well over two hundred members of snowshoe clubs in Montreal, and other centres in Quebec, left over the Canadian Pacific lines recently to attend the annual conventions of the Canadian and U.S. Snowshoe Unions at Manchester, N.H.

Japan ranks third in world tonnage. Great Britain heads the list with an aggregate tonnage of 21,962,000 tons, the United States second with 13,740,000 tons and Japan third with 4,000,000 tons; Germany follows with 3,000,000 tons.

Nearly 100 messengers of the Canadian Pacific Telegraphs were the guests of the Company at a banquet in the Windsor Street Station ballroom hall recently. The complimentary dinner was tendered to the boys as a token of appreciation of the service rendered to the company and the public in their daily delivery of telegraph messages throughout Montreal.

Immigration to Canada for the calendar year 1926 was 135,984, compared with 84,907 for 1925, a gain of 60 per cent. Of the total new arrivals 48,819 came from the British Isles; 20,944 from the United States and 65,221 from other countries. Returned Canadians in the period totalled 62,293, as against 33,987 in 1925.

Figures submitted at the annual convention of the Nova Scotia Dairymen's Association showed 27 creameries operating in the province in 1926, producing 4,764,000 pounds of butter, or an increase of 5½ per cent. over the production of 1925. The increase in value was \$22,816.

J. E. Martin, superintendent of the fish culture service of Alberta, announces that nearly 800,000 brown trout eggs have safely arrived from Wisconsin at the Banff hatchery, and that the trout, which are closely related to the Loch Lomond trout, will be distributed throughout the tributaries of the Red Deer River, Alberta.

E. W. Beatty announced recently that the Canadian Pacific is to build a thousand room hotel on the site of the old "Queens" at Toronto. The new hotel will be on Front Street opposite the new Union Station, which is to be opened in June, and it will be the largest and finest of the famous line of Canadian Pacific hotels, and it will be Toronto's first big modern hotel entirely owned and operated by a Canadian company.

Canada's wool production in 1926 is estimated at 171,380,270 pounds, as compared with 15,553,045 pounds in 1925. The value of the clip of 1926 is estimated provisionally at \$3,780,000, as compared with \$3,901,000 in 1925. Ontario led in production with 4,926,313 pounds, followed by Quebec with 4,856,116 pounds. Alberta led in Western Canada with a yield of 2,400,000 pounds.

New trade arrangements will be made between Canada and Cuba as result of the visit of the Canadian Minister of Finance to that country. Canada will receive preferential treatment from Cuba and the products of that country will be admitted to Canada on terms similar to those extended to France and other favored nations. During the twelve months ended November 1926, imports from Cuba totalled \$8,074,101 and exports to Cuba \$8,099,980.

Feted by the Governor of the State, the Mayor and many other prominent people of Columbus, Ohio, has been the experience of Sam Glode, Micmac guide of the Milford Camp in Nova Scotia, who arrived at the Windsor Station, Montreal, recently, on his return from a two weeks visit to Columbus, where he attended the convention and banquet of the League of Ohio Sportsmen. Glode is noted throughout the woods of Nova Scotia for his uncanny ability to "moose calling," address; the gathering of over 1,800 sportsmen on Canadian hunting fields, particularly in reference to Nova Scotia.